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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
YASUHIKO IKEDA ET AL.) : Examiner: Shih Wen Hsieh
Application No.: 09/977,973) : Group Art Unit: 2861
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AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE

Sir:

A. Introductory Comments

The above-noted application having been allowed, Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be made to the specification.